GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA

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PRODUCTION OF PETROLEUM PRODUCTS THAN CONSUMPTION
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the production of petroleum products like petrol, diesel etc. is more than its consumption;

(b) if not, the estimate of consumption of petrol and diesel in the country during 2000-2001;

(c) the quantum of production of the two products during the said period; and

(d) the share of the public and private refineries in the production thereof in terms of percentage?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Does not arise in view of (a) above.

(c)&(d): Production of petrol and diesel during 2000-2001 was 8,068 TMT and 39,048 TMT respectively.

The percentage share of the public and private sector refineries in the production of petrol was 69.7% & 22.6% respectively and of diesel it was 67.8% & 24.6% respectively during 2000-01.

The balance percentage of 7.7% in production of petrol and 7.6% in diesel was from the joint sector refinery.